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Regular Semi Monthly Meeting on Monday Evening Last.

SYLAY TO ABOLISH THE BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS TEU BE INTRODUCED NEXT MEETING.

The regular session of the town neil was held Monday might. All members were present with the geption of Couns. Edmison and

Communications were received from in Smith, W. White, Water-Comdoners, Board of Health, Joseph plier, H. W. Kennedy, A.M. Rote, . Barnes, A. McLennau, and J. F. 8818392. weilliveay.

esessment of the property of Geo. staxes on \$1,000 instead of on their appropriations for the year.

w, re lots at Norman, was referred the year. the solicitor and chairman of finpercommittee with power to act.

? report of the chief of police was Fixed and adopted. In it the chief that the social evil had been led.

The report of the board of works on sewers on Lottle, Uulia. Gertie and Agness streets was received and

The report of finance committee on assessment and taxes was received and adopted, and the clerk authorized to notify the collector and other parties interested.

The report of the finance committee was received and adopted after a division, Couns, Rice and Deacon voting may." They introduced an amendment that the amount payable to P. H. Austin for collection of taxes and taking the census be reduced to \$80. Following is the report:

Gentlemen, The finance committee begs to submit herewith their report recommending for payment the following accounts, viz:-

Murphy Bros., \$32; Wm. Major.\$1.-35; Vulcan Iron Co., \$273; Oscar Lundberg. \$2: Ontario Powder Co., 81.20? Rat Portage Brick Co., \$81: Murphy Bros., \$28.50; Jas. Dodds. \$14; The Miner Publishing Co., \$26.88; J.C. Baxter, (Craig & Baxter), \$1.50; J. K. Brydon, \$25; A. McLennan, \$83; Delbridge Bros., \$1.59; Walter Ross, \$23.-76; Pay roll board of works, \$125.26; Pay roll board of works, \$89.47; Rat Portage Hardware Co., \$11.50. Total.

We would also recommend that the Moved by Couns. Rice and Decron treasurer by authorized to deposit ad on accountrof a clerical error in \$5,000 to the credit of the public school board, and \$1,000 to the credit of the s, the collector by instructed to separate school trastees on account of

Also that P. H. Austin be paid \$100.

That Mrs. N. Proulx be granted a discount of 50 per cent, on price of 1901. sewer pipe bought by her.

All of which is respectfully submit J.B. Rice, Chairman

A communication was received from

HUDSON'S BAY

Wm. Ross, administrator of the estate of the late Wm. Robinson, giving one month's notice that the contract in regard to fire team will terminate. Moved by Couns, Deacon and Rice,

That in view of the fact that P. H. Comber received no notice of the increase in his assessment the difference in amount being \$5.84, be remitted him and collector be instructed in accordance therewith.

Following is the report of the board

Gentlemen,-The board of works committee begs to submit herewith their report on the cost of construction of sewers on Lottie, Gertie, Julia and Agnes streets, the same being now completed with the exception of 'outlet." as follows:

2424 ft. 9 in. pipe at 25 cents per ft \$600: 55 junctions, at \$1, \$55; 4,143 brick, \$49.71; 18 bbls, cement, \$90; 120 lbs. hemp, \$5.40; 6 shovels, \$6; manhole covers. \$273; powder and fuse, \$5.20; rock contract, \$208.25; delivering pipe, \$25.50; sand, \$1.20; work by town team, \$10: blacksmithing account \$12.30; labor pay rolls, \$825.74; estimate for outlet, \$300; estimate for engineering, \$118.70)

Total cost, \$2,593.

Estimated cost, \$3,774.60. Showing balance in town's favor of

All of which is respectfully submit

F. A. Hudson, chairman. Coun. Rice gave notice that he would at the next regular meeting of the council introduce a bylaw to hold the nominations of mayor and com-The communication of J.F. Metfilli. In full of his claims for services for the ciliors and to fix polling places, and to appoint deputy returning officers for the municipal elections for the year

> Coun. Hudson gave notice that he would introduce a hylaw at the nest meeting to repeal bylaw 218 and abolish the board of water commissioners.

> The bylaw for the borrowing of money by the issue of debentures for local improvements for sewers on sex eral treets recived their second

Moved by Couns. Deacon and Rice. That in view of the number of confplaints received regarding not having received assessment notices this year: This council would determine that henceforth no reductions will be made unless supported by affidavits.

The Sewer Debenture and Local Improvement Debenture bylaws were read the second time.

Moved by Couns, Deacon, and Ricel That this council having learned with on Nivens' 6th meridian line 40 chains

Empowered by the Ontario Government to Explore in Western Ontario.

TO SPEND \$120,000 IN THREE YEARS

THE ANGLO-CANADIAN GOLD ESTATES, LIMITED, WILL SEARCH FOR MIN-ERALS IN THIS DISTRICT.

The Anglo-Canadian Gold Estates Co., Limited, of which Alan Sullivan is the manager, has, for over a year, been exploring in different sections of the Lake of the Woods and Seine River districts; and have succeeded in securing several promising properties. This week, however, they have been granted a license of occupation by the Ontario government covering certain blocks of territory in the district of Rainy River, for the purpose of enablidg the company to explore the same for minerals, and after such discovery to acquire by purchase or lease any locations within the blocks at the ordmary price and under the usual terms and conditions of the mines act. The Anglo-Canadian company is composed solely of English capitalists who have for some time past been operating in the Rainy River country, exploring for and locating mineral properties. A large number of men is in the company's employment, and the pay roll amounts to several thousand dollars a

The blocks of land are five in number and are situated as follows: (1) All that portion of timber berth No.61 north of the Seine River and west of a line drawn due north astronomically from the 38th mile post of Nivens' first base line, containing bix square miles. (2) Timber berth No Least of Crow Lake east of Lake of the Woods, containing 23 squre miles. (3) Those portions of timber berths D.\$ D.1 and D.5 southou Lower Maniton lake which lies south of a line running north 68 degrees east astronomically, and south 68 degrees west, astronomically, through a point deep regret of the death of a highly south of the 31th mile post thereon,

ing this concession and also having at excited interest not only in England is back such a strong company.

as all the supplies required will be see he found the pamphlets of the great cured here, with the exception of railroad. He found them in Russia, muchinery Rat Portage business in Norway, in Turkey. When the P. men often full to give credit to men and O. steamship reached Hong Kong who are instrumental in securing cap- all the passengers wished if poss ble to ital for the exploitation of the re- go on by the Empress boats; for after sources of the district, but in this case experience of the ships of many lines we feel they will readily recognize the and many nations, Mr. Holden declares efforts made by Mr. Sullivan.

The Big Master Mine.

D. Simpson, manager of the Big Master Mine, near Gold Rock, was in town for a couple of days this week on business. He says work is progressing satisfactorily on the property. They are going about the work in a very thorough manner. Besides the force of men employed in sinking, they have a camp of 10 men engaged in getting out logs for their sawmill. which will be running in time to saw the lumber required for their stamp mill and other buildings.

A large amount of machinery for the property is already at Wabigoon awaiting shipment as soon as the ice is safe enough.

Will Witness a Great Deal of Development Work Next Spring.

trick published in the issue of the 16th | which is owned by the Hunters and inst, has attracted much attention in other capitalists, of Durath, are well the putside world, and has been largly advanced, and a thorough understandcopied in eastern papers. We mening has been reached. tioned only two or three properties. but there are several others of splendid promise. This district is probably the most inviting in Western Ontacts, and will witness great development next

The Manhattan Gold Mining Co., ombosed largely of Brooklyn and New York people, has a valuable, property about three miles from the Grace and Eldorado mines, and about 12 ald and Weekly Star is one of the miles from the CP.R. They have sights of Montroid. Architects say it about 66 acres, and nine or ten veins of gold bearing quarty have been trace, finest, newspaper building in the world. and the recognite Section 1 and a

but in every part of the globe: secondly, It will mean a big thing for the dis- the widesprend advertisements of the trict and for Rat Portage especially, C. P. R. Wherever Mr. Holden went them unsurpassed for comfort, table and attendance. Even in out of theway up-country inns in Japan, where guests are forced to eat and sleep on the floor and their diet consists of fish in every possible form, the C. P. R. advertisements were found. Canada's reputation has never stood higher than

TO HONOR HON, ROBT, ROGERS.

Constituents Will Tender Him Banquet at Maniton on Dec. 1.

The Conservatives of Manitou have decided to tender a banquet to their representative in the legislature, Hon. Robt. Rogers, to be held at Manitou on Tuesday, Dec. I. in honor of his recent elevation to the cabinet. A large number of Conservatives, will be in attendance. Members of the provincial cabinet have been invited and Premier Roblin has already replied, accepting he insitution

Will Invest in Canada.

St. Paul, Nov. 26. Corrigan, Me-Kenney & Co., of Cleveland, she well known ore and vessel firm, have decided to invade the Atikakan iron range, which is located much of Dus bith on the Canadian side. It is learned that negotiations for the con-Our article on the Eagle Lake distituol of the property on the Atikokan,

A Great Newspaper Building.

The Montreal newspapers are paying high compliments to the Paintly Herald and Weekly Star on the occasion of the latter paper moving into its magnificent new building, just completed, after being two years in construction. The new building of the Family Heris one of the linest, if not the very there being nothing in New York or

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Moved by Couns, Deacon and Rice That this council having learned with deep regret of the death of a highly respected citizen in the person of W H. Carpenter sheriff of the District of Rainy River, do hereby respectfully tender their sympathies and condolences to the family of the late sheriff, in their bereavement. And that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mrs Carpenter.

If You Have Not Yet. Paid Your Taxes, do so Before the 14th and be Pleasant

Tax Collector Rose says that there appears to be an impression abroad that the tax roll will remain open after the 14th of December, the date fixed by law for the closing of the roll, and would state for the taxpayers' benefit, that the roll will be closed on the 14th of December, 1900, and any outstanding taxes after that date will be collected by law before the close of the year. A majority of the council has assured him that no extension of time will be given. The town is in debt and actually requires the money to run its affairs just the same as any business institution.

Jas. Commee, of Middleton & Conmee and Western railway, who has been sued by the General Trust Co. on behalf of the estate of the late John Lees. for a balance of \$35,000 said to be due from them, gave evidence in the case at Toronto on Tuesday. He claimed. owing to depreciation of the company's bonds, no balance was due. The bonds. he said, were worth 60 cents on the dollar a lew years ago, and are now weath only 30 cents,

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most wholly unexplored, and for the

most part lie outside of the regions

upon which prospecting has been carried on. Whatever locations have been surveyed within the limits of the blocks are of course reserved from the ticense, which also provides for the protection of any existing right by virtue of discovery or otherwise. The term of the licence is for three years from January 1, 1900, and one fourth of the area drops from the operation thereof at the end of one year from the said date, one half of the area at the end of two years, and the remain. der at the expiration of the third year. The company is bound to expend in actual exploration, development and mining upon the lands, and in shipping or opening up, and in sinking shafts, or any other actual mining on erations during the first year, dating from the 1st January, 1900, not less than \$35,000; during the second year, commencing 1st January, 1901, not less than \$40,000, and during the third year, commencing 1st January, 1902, not less than \$45,000, making a total of \$120,000, to be expended in prospecting for minerals during the three years. The company is to furnish such proofs of the expenditure of the contractors for the Port Arthur, Duluth above sums as may be required, and is bound to thoroughly explore every one of the blocks and not confine its operations to any one or more of them. In default of the expenditure of money during any one of the three years or in the event of non-compliance with any of the other terms and conditions of the license, the Government may cancel and annual the same at any

As soon as the company finds a thoroughly good prospect, it is their intention to develop it as rapidly as possible. Ample capital will be forthcoming for this purpose. A number of the capitalists in the company have operated along similar lines in Australia and have met with success, and we believe that their efforts will be just as fully rewarded here. Mr. Sullivan is to be congratulated in secur-

The Manhattan Gold Mining Co., composed largely of Brooklyn and New York people, has a valuable property about three miles from the Grace and Eldorado anines, and about 12 miles from the C.P.R. They have about 66 acres, and nine or ten veins of gold-bearing quartz have been traced agross the property. Several pits have been sunk on two of the widest veins, and the results of assay tests therefrom have been very satisfactory, an average sample going over \$10 to the ton: J. E. Stanton, of New York, manager of the company, was in Rat Portage this week, having just returned from a visit to the property. He had to go in over the ice, and had quite an exciting experience as the ice is treacherous yet. We understand it By His Son at an Indian is the intention of the company to push the development of this promising property at as early a date as is practicable.

Mr. Higbee, who is developing a property at Eagle Lake for a St. Paul syndicate, was also in town this week, He says they are getting splendid quartz at the bottom of the shaft, and from his confident air, we should judge they are.

We received a letter this week from J.H. Caslor, of Buffalo, owner of the Grace mine, in which he says that he has recently had a number of assays made in Buffilo, which confirm the results obtained from the mill run and the assays made here,

He says that he has not yet decided what to do with the property, but that work will be commenced in an energetic way early in the spring.

HOW CANADA IS ADVERTISED

What the C. P.R. is Doing in making the Dominion Known Abroad.

Mr. J. C. Holden, president of the blaw the peeps, ther'll be lashins Ames-Holden Company, who recently o'g. thing to entire drink the returned to Montreal after vitwo and incht at the Filliard Hose shalf years tour around the world concluded an interview in the Mo ... eal Gazette by stating:

"Two things in particular tremaking anada more widely known and more highly considered the world over First her part in the war, which has ! E'et were the bennie tactun,

me week come a diffilly limited and Weekly Star on the occasion of the litter paper moving into its magnificent new building. st compacted, after being two years in construction. The new building of he Family Herald and Weekly Star is one of the sights of Montreal. Archive's say a is one of the finest, if not the very finest, newspaper building in the world. there being nothing in New York or London or any of the great cities to equal it. The Family Herald's new building cost half a million iollars.

Village at Gull Bav.

Jos. Dery, the missing lighthouse keeper, who was thought to have perished on the lake, has been found by his son, Dion, and Robt. Ferris, at Gull Bay near McPherson's. He was at an Indian village,

A telegram was received this afternoon from Beaver Mills from his son, so that the party have reached there and will come home by way of Winnipeg. This is glad news to Mr. Dery's friends as hope was almost abindoned.

St. Andrew's Day,

A. A. McLennan and Morrison Kyle are twa beezy S. . h day, They baith has the say in banunfor versi min sle tae in vo ken.

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Mr. Campbell, the piper of Wichington is in town. He blaws the peops the night at the Section gathered in H Jani Hoese

The eglorious parho'Scotian brave, Fe ever he the tartan wave! Tis Freedom's flag or ne'er a slave



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HIS SCHEME WAS MALE AND THOR OUGHLY EFFECTIVE.

A Safe Plan, Not Patented, The May Be Followed by Raffrond Telegraph, Operators Who Must Go to Sleep While on Duty.

"However tired or overworked be may be the railroad operator who allews trains to smash into each other while he pounds his car is a brainless tdiot," said William James, so old timer. "When I was a youngster I was in charge of a station down in Pennsylvania. I went to sleep on duty pecause I couldn't keep awake. Trains met there every hour or so, and I was - the only person to run the business at that point. I went to sleep and slept mix hours, and there wasn't any smash up or the slightest possibility of one so far as my station was concerned.

"I was 15 years old when I applied for a job to Saperintendent Pitcairn of the Philadelphia and Erie. He took me on immediately and sent me out to Kane. That was the place where Dr. Kane, the Arctic explorer, once lived. as named for him. Kane is on of-a mountain, with Wilcox at the Bottom on bue side and Wetmere on the other. Oil is the great product there now, but in 1866 the truffic was in general freight. Big frains met at Kane, and for a small place the traffic was considerable.

"I was met at the station by a big. wild eved man, who said that he guess-2 ed I was the slid that was going to relieve him. He said he was glad to get ont, but he guessed I'd like the work.

You'll have the night trick, said he, 'and you'll only have to be here from Ch. in to 7 s. in !

"I looked up with dismay, but he was striding ahead into the station. He instructed me in my duties, fold me of a country tavers about two talkes? They both girls softly giggled, while Icaclinated was gone.

"When the day man relieved the the next morning. I but for the production found it after transping about there. The proprietor's wit seer of to take a motherly interest in our, and []

got hungry for that charlen and hanted things bleely are done on the bisten [not older than the pen-

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"He was bloomly out to be its its wor non word, the latter is if it had gine, and I went to the lanch straity not jong been introduced. Just below the station and are up two In 1711 The Spectator instances

ONLY A CROOKED CENTA

When the Young Woman Thought It Was Gold, She Got Nervous,

The car had just rounded "dead man's curve" at Fourteenth street, when a daintily clad young woman swished something out of her hand which as it struck the street was followed by a sharp metallic sound.

: What was that you threw away, my dear?" asked her companion, another girl about the same age.

"Money," Asconically responded the thrower.

"Money!" continued her companion In a horrified tone of voice. "Why, -it sounded like gold."

"My gracious!" shricked the thrower. "Have I thrown away one of those goldnieces?"

By this time several of the passengers had arisen from their seats and were looking in an indignant way at the conductor for not stopping the car. He, however, was one of those high collared, stolcal voung men who boss things on the Broadway cars, and the excitement greated by the money thrower did not cruse him to turn a hair. All this time the car was bowling as morrily aloug as Broadway cars ever do bowl, aniest was getting farther buil further away from the mon-One or two of the passengers were sbout to jump off the cur, but then they fliought better of it and turned their gare auxiously on the yorne woman, who was hunting frantically through her purse. Just as it seemed the strain would be too much for the excited cassengers to bear lower the fair thrower backed up smilingly at her

communish and normared sweetly: vir's all right. #y derr. It wasn't a goldplece after all.

"What was it, then?" asked the sec-GPI veturz woman

boniy a crooked ponny," replied the thrower. "I always throw away crooked betalies for lack."

away and then saving on to the grade I the other passengers, looking both foolthat had been writing 29 minutes for fish and disgusted resumed their seats.

ORIGIN OF THE TERM "MOB"

I sed in Its First Meaning in Time of

As indicating the populace, proverthat afternoon when I started for work | biatly fields and easy to be moved (moshe had aching up timeh of fried blacks | bile, from Latin mobilities, the expresside "the mobile acapte" is as old as "Well, that night about I! o'dlock I I the time of Chasger, but in its later. seaso, that of the disorders growd, out may bunch Instart I had just got thrid in its confracted from a both is tacht table we a in come a Cart page | Spial | In Roger North | Mannen, 1740, reference is minde to the Green Ribbon

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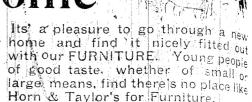
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" How e'nd help H?" Well, the loss of sleep that dar and the eleitement did me up, and about 11 o'clock I found I couldn't keep my eyes open if took the red laguern and mailed the tin hostom for a the in the middle of the track and went to the engly of the weats and by down When I awide, the day operator, who had been drouged out of had two lears should of ther was getting the Philiadelphia and I've radirond system into operation a again after a six hope suspension of

"But there wasn's any smash up. a. 1 to lives had been best and I got 4 5.01 two days, afterwardent Trusc e.

Gilbert's Satire.

W. S. Gilbert meeting the of ar of Punch one day remarked as h was leaving hing.

"By the bye, Burnand, I suppose a great number of funes storms are sent futo y our office?"

"Oh vos!" . of Me Buennad, "thous

Then or dear follow, why don't you publish thom?" replied Mr. Gli-bert as he put out his hand to say

Chinese Riddles,

What is the fire that has no emoke and the water that has no fish?

A glowworm's fire has to smoke, and well water has no 6 h.

Il sion the name of an chiegt with travels by a littlend not by class

A lintera.

There wash't meet." 1689, and Shadwell C Squire of the Well, the a Alsatia, Best, and Richardson points . 40 r.4 long an 15 failies rout that Dryden uses both "mobile" different of deries they can bend "mole" in the sense of rabble, the former in the stage directions as the The warked blisdredy out to his en a common word, the latter as if it had

days, salary before . discovered how "theb" as an example of the popular determined the shopper was to have shepdeney to emitall many of our words plenty of money to support his old ha familiar writings and conversation. The verb "to mob." derived of course The first day I dain't go to the he had above does not occur until the petel, but state near the station and tild of Horace Walpole, many years dotted revenge. It was the custom to later, and Stakespeare's expression, File mobiled queen" "Hamlet", refers

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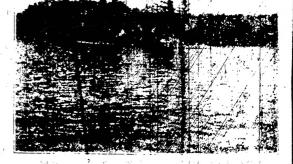
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Trading With a Corpse Was Not Al-

The boss of the lumber camp realled bis pipe and lighted it.

"Yes," said he it drew the line on

We had a man die la camp this winter. He lived just over the boundary. Nice feller he was, too-thriffy and all that. Every one fixed him. Sorry to have him go. that after he was gong we did the best we knew how. Fixed the body up and sont two of the men out with it.

"He had bought a new pair of boots at the wongan enun two weeks before be died, and we thought it would be only right to put those boots on. So we did. The men started away and came. back in three days. One of the men was wearin them new boots. The other feller gave it away. Said that fust before they got to the house with the deceased the critter pulled them boots off the corpse and swapped. Other feller didn't like it, and said so. But the critter allowed that he had had some talk with the corpse about swappin a lew days before he died. Corpse had allowed that the new bests burt his corns and said that a pair that had been broken in would do better. Critter said that he couldn't bear to think of decensed bein buried in a pair of boots that hurt his feet. He said that he should wake up in the night, sattin. and think about the thing.

"Waal, course there was somethin in what he said. But as there warn't no way of gettin at the deceased's side of the matter, I concluded that I wouldn't let that trade stand. There's a good many things that go in this camp all right, but dickerin with dead men ain't one of 'em. I draw the floe right there, and draw it sharp. I made that feller send them boots back. The deceased has still got the critter's old ones. The feller had to go to the wongan and get some new ones. And that's so much more for the company and a commission for me, 'Twarn't bad all round. When the feller got to jawin about the thing I told him the could still have the comfort of knowin that deceased wasn't wearm tight boots."

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Fat the Foe of Consumption.

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Remembered Too Late.

Speaking of the queer doings of absentminded people, the following snecdote is related by the London Globe: 'A very irritable man left his house one morning to attend a race meeting some distance off. In order that he night have enough money to pay his hotel bill lie tied a sovereign in the corner of his handkerchief. In the rain he drew his handkerchief from ils pocket, and noticed the knot in the orner. 'Now,' he said to himself, 'what vas it I wished to remember?" Much hought failed to enlighten him upon be point, and at last, in a fit of passion e burled the bandkerchief out of the vindow. Then he remembered."

Applying the Rule.

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After Sunday school little Ned and is younger cousin. Horion, were peralliced to play in the fard on condition that they would be very good at most. They had not then out then Ned's mother heard loud reams. Upon investigating the ause she found her small son sitting a his cousin, pending him vigorously a spite of Horron's pitful walls.

"Well, mamma," Ned exclaimed, "I wanted to teach him the golden rule, and he said he wouldn't learn it"

West All the Way.

It is said that the reason why there are no snakes in New Zealand is that it is at the direct antipodes of Ireland, and that when St. Patrick bankse from Ireland his blessing went right through the earth and banksed the snakes from New Zealand also.

Protected In Bed.

In Santiago in the better class of honses the bedsteads age surrounded with a close kind of netting, beginning at the floor and gathered at the top. This is intended as a protection against transplutas, the bitestof which are polsonoma.

The Chinese study phrenology, judging a man by the development of his foreless and a woman by the form and size of the back of her dranfum.

Philosophy is an extremely agreeable companion to people in same circums stances.—Broeklyn Life.

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RAT PORTAGE, ONT., NOV. 30, 1900

DEATH OF SHERIFF CARPENTER.

After an illness of long duration, W. H. Carpenter, sheriff of the District of Buing liver, passed to the beyond Monday afternoon at the age of 60 years. He was one of the parliest and most prominent pioneers of Western Algoma, Javing been connected with the district for about a quarter of a

He leaves a wife, two sors, and two daughters to mourn his loss.

The late Sheriff Carpenter - was always considered a fair and impartial official and imparted to the office a dignity which commanded respect His disposition was generous and kindly and he was ever ready to render assistance to those in tipuble. He was a member of the Church of England.

He was born in Devenshire Hagland and came to Canada when quite young andengaged in mercantile pursuits, his business capacity fitting tim and obtaining for him positions of great responsibility. He was the founder of the company which in 1874, controlled the Dawson route from Prince Arthur's Landing to Fort Garry, In 1882, he went into the lumbering busines at Fost William but six years Liter owing to failing health he was compilled to retire the efform. The position of sheriff of the district of Hajny River falling vacant, he was appointed in July 1888 when the removed to Rat Portage the same year.

The funeral took place Thursday afternoon and was one of the largest in the history of Rot Portage. The Masonic order of the town turned out in a body. The beautiful burial service of the English church was conducted by Rev. J. W. B. Page at St. Alban's and the Masonic sentire was read at the grave.

PROSPECTS OF MINING

States and Canada are overland the Publishing Company, Limited, To-

place. Very good time was made consillering the heavy fall of snow. The Rainy was reached by 8 o'clock.

.It is said that the district will shortby have a daily train service. There being enough business to guarantee it.

THE Peoples Forum

We do not hold ourselves responsible for any quintons expressed by our correspondents. All letters must be accompanied with name of writer, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good far the

Proper Sewer Construction.

Rat Portage, Nov. 29, 1900. To the Editor of The Miner:

Dear Sir,-In Tuesday's issue of the Lake of the Woods Daily there is an article respecting the construction of Agnes streets, in which the stateprofile and specifications.

Now, I was in charge of this work pletion, and I say that every foot of it controlled entirely by Americans. was 'carried out to the letter of the the surface; some of it being over 111 task. feet of a cut, and out of 2,534 feet there is perhaps 50 feet where the sewer crosses a gully, which requires 4 feet from the present, surface. Mr. feet below the street, but provision is and modernization of the Erle canal made for him to drain into the sewer

in lane at the rear. The petty spirit displayed, in order to make a point against a councillor of detracting from the credit due the men on this work, is contemptible. The town engineer personally issued the orders under which this work was Chas, Nelson and Ed. Mcdone and gave me-the levels himself. no other person interfering with the work or suggesting any change.

> Yours truly. J. M. SHERMAN.

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putable. The further growth of these covered everything up, the party workcompeting lines will greatly depend ed at a great disadvantage upon the abandomment or re-establish-

"There is now a large traffic over canormen, Canadian lines, lost to our wilfonds. all the time from the start to its com- that at one time arrived at Buffalo.

"We have become so used to foreign town engineer's specifications and .ex- competition on the lakes that we fall actly according to the profile supplied to see the danger of it. To change by the engineer himself, and no part channels of trade when once they are of it but is more than three feet from firmly established is a most difficult

Mr. Herbert concluded: "Do not these facts prove most conclusively that under present adverse traffic conto be filled up that is between 33 and ditions New York must eventually lower her standard of commercial Anderson's house is on the lower side greatness, or in order to escape such of the street at this point, and about 6 humiliation look to the enlargement

Kenzie Have Not Been Seen For Three Weeks.

It is nearly three weeks since two men, Charile Nelson and Ell Mc Kenzie were seen or heard from; and it is supposed that their carps was uport and they have perished in the lake.

On the day they were last seen Paul Olsen and S. Goldstone were setting near the Crooked Lake Falls, and had too much of a load for their own cange so to help them dut, Nelson and Mr. Kenzie took a second a moe and weat down the lakes with them

They should have returned that night but the weather was very strong and

camp with the others. "A direction bout on his M

on has largely contributed to building Upper Maniton Lake having frozen up our Canadian rival routes is indis over, and a heavy fall of snow having

The only theory now entertained is the sewers on Lottie, Gertie, Julia and ment of the canal to its former useful. that they were drowned during the ness, for there is no assurance that the storm, while attempting to make the ment is made that this work has not railroads of themselves will be able to return journey to Goldrock, although been done according to the engineer's protect Buffalo in her lake commerce. both men are said to have been expert

> An unconfirmed report reaches us that their cance has been found, which if true, indicates that both men met with their death. Wabigoon Star.

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time work was begon, when on one of his annual tribs, and the result shows that he was not mistaken in his opinion of the value of the ore. It is really annising, the flutter this has cansunong the stockholders. While or trip east during last summer. I hears some of them complaining bitterly . Users of Paints Celery Companied losing their money. There was a soon recognize the important fact that the slightest use of telling them ad the great medicine quickly regulates; they had one of the best properties it brightens eyes that before had a dun the district. They seemed to think

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PROSPECTS OF WINING

The elections in Great Britain United States and Canada fare overland the three countries have settled down to business. They are all prosperous, and conditions are ripe for a boom along many lines. Large sums of money are ready for investment and as the channels for investments yielding big returns have been continually nairowed. the mining industry has become recognized as the best and surest field for speculative capital. A developed mine, with a fair showing, need not wait long for the capital necessary to work it. Enquiries are being made frequentla for such properties, and this will also lead to enquiries for prospects and undevoloped properties. Prospectors should see that sufficient work is done -upon their properties, to fairly show their extent and worth.

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The great development of Canadian water ways and grain routes is causing increasing concern to the American routes threatened. Henry B. Herbert. chairman of the Canal Association of Greater New York, has a letter in the Tribune calling attention to the diversion of the American carrying trade to Capada, He says: "It should be sufficient to set in motion popular inquiry as to the ultimate results of the development of the Canadian routes from the lakes to the St. Lawrence, and as to how far they will succeed in establishing a commercial preponderance in . the great lakes to the detriment of trade through American channels,

"The matter is one of more than ordinary importance, for if the diversion of lake traffic through Canada affects the mimercial status of the State of run the trade lost to New York must be lost to the United States altogether.

"Canada's aim is to control the traffic. of the lakes, her plans for transportation are broadly and intelligently devised, and the accomplishment of her purpose is only a question of time.

The American routes via North Atlantic ports to the sea cannot success fully oppose this traffic development, except it may be through the interrupt-There are three noted Diamond Dye , ion of a barge canal constructed somewhat in accordance with the recommendation of the New York State Canal Committee for a survey, on will he the last Legislature authorized the experditure of \$200,000.

The vital point for consideration in the Fast Dia a sa Dye Blacks the present canal question is not what the improvement may cost, but the amount of protection it will afford per pie in the enjoyment of their busi-To any through crein for Energy ness relations with other parts of the

" Pice Canal as a factor in transportat. 500. 4

down the lakes with them.

They should have returned that night but the weather was very stormy and their absence was never noticed, it be ing supposed that they had stopped in camp with the others.

A-dog locked up in McKenzie's house attracted the attention of Dr. Denmark, over a week after they had left town, and he experted that something

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High School Literary Society.

The regular weekly debate of the High School Literary Society washeld in the school on Friday afternoon The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. After a short business meeting, Miss Mitchell read a splendid essay on the life of Burns, and Miss Hooper delivered a fine recitation entitled, "Napoleon and one of his seamen,"

The Debate:- "Resolved that the Pen is mightier than the Sword," was contested very strongly by each side.

The Negative was upheld by Miss Johnson, H. Woods and P. Ratchford; and the Affirmative by Miss McTavish J. Vestrop and C. Parsons.

The Affirmative won the debate by a majority of two points Miss Pease acted as critic, and performed her duties to the satisfaction of all.

Dinorwic News.

The Ruby Reef Mining Co., of Laur Sand Lake, about 15 indes north ast their changes in by Thursday noon. of Dinorwic. From time to time they Scot 's Emulsion of Cod Liver, have been doing development work on the property, and they now have 130 feet completed. As the ore was somecan't eat," unless it comes of what refractory, the owners could not your doing no work-ver can't pick gold heles on of it, or were a little sound on their property.

Your edgrespondent, on the recommendation of Mr. McInnis, of the Deminion Geological staff, sent a · apie weighing 17 pounds, to Paris, at Josephan received a letter from the sarre may of the Ruby company, stating they hey had been awarded a diple na ibs their ore, which would be forthcoming shortly. This has alpridy led to matters of a still more the He sat win A ditche pergray. An or on is d a Mr. Soing

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the Kinger ker and ford of lords, perfecting of my labors, The eath of all one as required of 33 Inspiration is secured. From the

and service. To mark the difference the qualifying word "active" is used. The citizen is called upon to leave his work and his home to serve under the flag of his country. This duty we The picture presented here is a bat pledge ourselves to undertake for God tle scene. Israel contends with her when in scienn yow, "The Lord my earliest enemy, the people of Amalek. banner," escapes the lips. We are Fortune seems fickle this day, and supposed to stand ready for service. hovers now on the one and now on Here men are tried, in the field. The the other side. But as the evening parade ground and the battlefield difshides prevail suspense is over, and it fer in their demands. The latter is is found Joshua. Israels leader, has the true test of men. The question is not What are Christians in the The morrow has now dawned; the church? but rather, What are they in day of conflict is passed, and it seems the world? Do they follow the flag or fitting to Moses that some memorial lag behind? Do they keep up with should be exected to commemorate the colors? Is the response to God's the truings. An altar is therefore call for service adequate? "Bring mised; and with this monument is to back the flag," called out a subordinbeassociated the name of him who lead at officer on the battlefield. "Bring the hamy to victory. What namer forward your men," was the severe hoshua, the general? Moses the com- reply of the standard-bearer. The mistaler in chief (Aaron and Hur, the med today is not that, leaders he realiles? No! This, at least, is not an exprained, but rather that the tank and consion to glorying in men. The bat- file be incited to a forward movement. the was the Louis, and therefore god is our leader, not men. We Wases call the name of this altar, must be true to Him, and rise to obey

Telegrals pisses of the Ford, my pane this case. It is well to note that service under the service und Third for His goodness, and for His the nanner of Jehoyah has certain acwondenful works to the children of companiments. Conflict is inevitable, for C. E. meeting in Guelph was a alen." Let every longue today sound. The clash of arms between right and great crowd. The junior societies His high-peaks. The growing of every, wrong will over be heard. Following keen growing in number. Help to simmon belongs to Rim. Let us this flig will necessitate valiant en carry on in a successful way is often kerolore beam to give quite Him the deayor and herois resistance on the enquired after. We may mention part of all. Each most take his part that a very helpful work has been pre-The bruner is the callying point for in this strife. Hardship is endured, pared by one of the editors of the Enthe soldiers. They gather to the dag, "Endure findness," said Paul, "as a deaver World, Amos R. Wells, en-They follow and light under it. Every good soldier of Jesus Christ." He had titled offiree Yours With the Chilbanner has its device either in symbol much experience of suffering for the dren," and contains 156 talks, parables. or world. The device upon the ban Kingdom of Heaven's sake. Loyalty etc., which will be found of great her carried by the here of Longfel- to the banner of Jesus involves self value to junior societies. low's song was "Excelsion." Moses denial and cross-bearing. Heroic the Mr. Wm. Shaw, the treasurer of the

nons is an act full of significance. Its the faith, he cried out, "Yet mor O to Dr. Dickson meaging we may thus unfold: . Gad! Yet more!" He was willing to 5 Albertanie is declared. The Bag dare it alleand more in the servi of

stands for dominion, for authority. It Jehovate Service upon the field may speaks to us of government. To place mean the accordable possessions, or curselves beneath the standard is to even the series of life. The spir tel declare feelt or sovereign. When "The Lord my banner" calmly and . we say there . The Lord my ban- paths these chings, and not a few bove don's loyalty to said, "Yet more O Lord if this bothe THOUSANDS OF ANAEMIC CIRLS HURRY-

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF William Robinson, late of Rat Portage. Cotario, Teamsten, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given passings to Chapter 1393 Section 88 of the Revised Statutes of Optavio, 1887, that all persons having claims exainst the estate of the Late William Robinson, who died at Rut Portige, on the 2nd day of July, A.D. E00, to send by p prepaid, or otherwise & ver to Willliam Ross, the Administrator of the said estato, their Christia and Surnames, addresses and Administrations and a statement of their pretive claims with particulars there all had the securities, if any, held by them, duly verified by afficiavit, and toke notice that on or before Exa Dec 1986, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the said estate famong the grediters of whose claims he shall then have had notice, and the said administrator will not be responsible for the baid estate or any part thereof, to any other person of persons whatseever

> WILLIAM ROSS. Rat Portage

Per J. Edward Bird.

His Solicitor

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All persons claiming to rank upon the estate of the said insolvent must the estate of the said movem must fig their claims with me, with the proofs and particular-thereof required by the said Act, on pi before the date of said meeting, and after the 15th day December, 1900al shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said debtor.

Dated at Rati-Portage this 15th day among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice, and shall not be liable for the assets of, said estate or any part thereof-to any person of whose claim I shall not then have received notice.

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A Tale of Moral Heroism In Overcoming the World.

By CHARLES M. SHELDON, Brong," "Robert Bardy's Seven Daje."

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CUSTINUED PROX LAST WEEK.

te ir remains therefore to be said that so far as Kirk and his wife are concerned the contest they began here the battle they entered for victory over the world, still goes on. Is there a place in the world where a Christian may cease from fighting the good fight of the faith? But I am profoundly touched by the ditent of overcoming to be seen in this place. I have been unable to silence the question, What if every minister as he entered a new place, no matter how sould or difficult, emered it with a passion like Kirkia to reduce the lost part of it and bring it buck to God? I know this much is true of the work done here. There has been no unusual exemployed to produce the astonishing results. There is no question that Kirk has certain qualities that have belied him. His voice is, as it always was, a fine instrument. He knows how to talk to neonle, and he writes uncommonly well. But, on the other band, he is still awkward, homely of appearance and by no means always at his best. He loves people. He longs, as Paul did, for the salvation of the world. And there hes the sceret of his work. It is nothing which other new

may not also bave. "I don't know a minister in our churches agywhere who might not claim all that Maleim Kirk and his don't think people ought to impose on wife have claimed. They have overcome the world by means of their love, by following the plain path of duty at the cost of suffering, by not pleasing themselves. They are still engaged in the strucyle. It will never cease this side of death and paradise. But wistthat every pastor and every church niight couse here and see what like been done and what the future seems certain to record The most malignant forces of evil have evidently arrayed themselves against Kirk and his wife and so far these two have overcome them all. Heaven has won the victory but here, and I do not know why it should not do so everywhere. Do we want the world to be saved? Do we nave a passion to save it? Do we put the kingdom first? If we did, should we not see the results everywhere that we'see here? I shall return home from my visit to Malcom, Kirk with that question sounding in the beart."

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ment fit the crime." said Faith as she stabbed the back of the cost with a big needle and began turning over the basket to find some thread.

"I'm sorry Gilliert hasu't a better suit vald Dorethr gravely. He must eyes. At the same time her mother git letters on the frame was simily try to get along with it this fall, anyway. Mend it as carefully as you can. Faith."

"Yes, ma'am," replied Faith. "I am trying to find something besides white silk. At the same time, mother, don't you think white siik on a black background would be a warning to Gilbert not to get his coat torn again?"

Mrs. Kirk laughed, and before she could answer the bell rang. Faith put aside the work and went

to the door.

"Can I see Mr. Kirk?" asked a voice that Dorothy recognized at once.

"No," said Faith decidedly. "Father is in his study writing, and he ought not to be disturbed."

"But he told me to call today, and I want to see him very much."

"Did he tell you to call this morn-

"Well-no-he said today. But I couldn't come at any other time."

There was slience a moment while Faith stood holding the door unvertainly, but still resolutely blocking the en-

Malcom Kirk came out of his study at the top of the upper hall. "Is that citement and no extraordinary means Mr. Barses, Faith? Tell him to come up.

Faith at once stepped aside, and a shabby looking man came in. As he passed the door of the sitting room he bowed clumsily and said, "Good morning, Mrs. Kirk." Then he stumbled noisily up stairs and entered Malcom's study. The door closed, and Faith went back to ber work.

CHAPTER' XIV.

FAITH LEAVES THE HOME NEST.

As she picked up the coat she was looking at her mother closely and could see that she was troubled.

"Mother," said, Faith suddenly, "I



tur him out of the window he was the lugares, representing the deck of an best man in the world.

"I'd like to see any one say anything ngainst father!" said Faith decidedly, while an unusual tear came into her and herself were wondering how Malcom ever found time to write has seit mons or anything else.

Faith stole up to the study and looked at the loose leaves of the sermon he had written were a quotation. "Whose giveth to the poor lendeth unto the Lord."

"Dear old father," said Faith softly. "I'd better let the Lord rebuke him. At the same time we've got to live. cent"-

She went off to her own from that afternoon and brooded. When Flaith dren at home. brooded, something happened. And it was not altogether a surprise to Dorothy when a few days afterward Faith Rhleigh. A card in the window anannounced her decision:

"Mother, I have made up my mind to go away and earn something for the family. I've tried every possible place, street. here, and you know how it is."

Dorothy looked at the girl gravely, but did not say anything. "I have been writing to Grace Hol-

ley, who went to Chicago a year ago to learn retouching in Keffen's studio. She is earning as high as \$17 and \$18 a week. She says there will be a vacancy there soon, and if I apply at once I may get the place. You know I have learned retouching here, all they can teach me, and I like it. Mother, I can't stand it any longer to remain here at home doing nothing. The boys will soon want to go to college. I never cared about it. I want to be a photographer or an architect or a paper hanger or something useful. If father can share enough money to get me started. I can be in a position before the year is out to help the family. We never can break father of his habits of belying everybody, and I want to be: self supporting and help the rest too."

This was a long speech for Paith to make, but it was the beginning of several family conferences, and the end of along with it. it all was that one day in winter of that year Paith and her father went, the picture was still on exhibition and down to the station, and Faith took, there was the usual crowd in front the express for Chicago. The arrangements had all been completed for her to enter the studio, where she was to receive \$5 a week to begin with and promise of rapid increase if the work was satisfactory.

"Goodby, father. Don't give away your exercent before you get home. will you?" Faith called out of the window as the train started.

Malcom Kirk smiled and waved his hand. Then he ran along the platform and handed up an eavelope to buith She managed to kiss his hand as she took the envelope and then leaned backin her seat and cried.

When she opened the envelope, a check for \$25 dropped out.

"This is a 'good companion," my dear. You will find it good company on the road. Your father." This was written hastily in a note with the check. Faith understood it was the price of a story Malcom had written that full She tucked the check into

selan stenater. A can was ablished a aby in his arms, and the baby was tooking up into the man's face and spilling. The title of the picture in totherless."

It was one of those pictures that appeal to a common humanity, and the crowd on the sidewalk was irresistibly drawn to it. But the effect on Faith on the father's desk. The last words was electrical. As soon as she lard seen the face of the man on the canvas she exclaimed aloud, "Why, that's father!"

Those nearest her looked at her in surprise. She checked herself and was silent. But there before her was the Here I am a woman grown and carn. likeness of Malcom Kirk as she had ing no bread, and the boys want to go seen him in the ske h her mother had to college and mother saving every often shown her. And the story of the baby whose mother had died in midocean was familiar to all the chil-

She looked at the corner of the canvas and saw the arrist's name. Francis nounced the fact that the picture wis sold and that the artist's studio was in one of the new blocks on Randolph

Faith slowly pushed out of the crowd and went on her way. But the picture affected her deeply. The sight of the lear father protecting that motherless baby made her cry. And it also strengthened her purpose not to appeal for financial help from home. She equid not have told why that feeling accompanied her si ht of the picture. But it did, and she etermined that she would make every effort to support herself without help from home.

The end of the following week found her without a place, and as she came away from the studio that Saturday evening she realized as never before in her life what it meant to a girl without cay friends or a hone to face a great city without work or means. She knew that she could go home at any time or get help from that source if she asked for it. But how at out the great army of unemployed that had not even that resort? She shivered as she turned down toward the reat artery of the city's human traffic and was swept

She went up by the window where

She stopped again and looked bungrily at it. It was like getting a glimpse into the car home circle in the parsouage at Conrad.

It was perhaps a little strange that she had not enter ained the idea of calling at Raleigh's studio and telling him that she was the daughter of his subject in the picture But Faith was very sley in some ways, and she simply never thought of trying to meet the airtu

As she stood there this Saturday night two men in the crowd were tala ing about the pictive. They stood so pear her that she could not help bear ing what they said

"It seems too had to take the picture out of the window."

"We can leave it there another wheels "

"When do you start west?" "The last of next month." "Button longer it home till their after an upage, and application for orders in 20 places thoroughly tired, for she had walked a good many miles, and the streets were running over with mud and snow.

She counted over her money and for the first time realized that she had reached the end. She was determined not to run in debt, although her landlady in the flat had been very kind.

She went down to a little newsstand on the corner and bought an evening paper and looked over the wilderness of "wants" and wondered how in a city like that any one ever found anything to do. She envied the butcher's boy who was just coming out of a market near by and thought of asking him how he managed to get his position while so many boys were probably without any.

She took the paper to her room and finally settled on one advertisement as offering a possible chance for her.

She had made up her mind for several weeks that she could not make a

living by retouching. "I'll do it," she said, with a faint flush of color in her face. "I wonder

what mother would say." The advertisement was as follows:

WANTED .- An American girl to do cooking and general housework. Wages satisfactory. Apply, withireferences, to - Ellis avenue.

"If I can get \$4 a week with my board, I can save nearly every cent of it," said Faith resolutely, "And mother taught me how to cook. I am sure it is as honorable a way to earn a living as working in a store."

There was a bit of adventure in it also that attracted her. The thought, of Dorothy Gilbert's daugliter working out as a "hired girl" gave Faith something of a survivise at herself, but it was a part of her love of experiments that made possible the strange experience she was now about to know.

She went to the studio early Monday morning and secured good references. For the rest she said she would frankly ask the people to try her for a week at least and then employ her for what she could do.

She took a Cottage Grove avenue car and went directly to the number on Ellis avenue. It was a large house, with a veranda on three sides. She went around to the side entrance and, mounting the steps, rang the bell, her heart trembling a little as she did so

CHAPTER XV.

FAITH BECOMES A THIRED GIRL." When the door opened, there stood, facing Faith, a good looking, well dressed woman, who was evidently the interress of the house.

"I have come in answer to your advertisement, ma'am," said Faith slowis. She was unexpectedly embarrassed by the woman's silent look.

Will you come in?

The woman pointed to a chair, and Faith sat down it was the dining room, a fine, large room, evidently well

"My name is Unith Kirk I force been at work as a retoucher in Keften's studio, and there are some references from that place."

Paith handed them out, and the woman took them and carefully read them. While she was reading Eaith looked about, shyly but observantly.

"I should like my Sunday I was to be able to go to church," said Pain boldly.

for course. We have late dinner, say 2 or half past After that you are at liberty for the rest of the day,"

Faith did not say anything, and Mrs. Fulton took her down to the kitchen which was furnished in a complete manner that pleased Faith the moment she stepped into it.

'Are you ready to begin work today?" asked Mrs. Fulton after ex. plaining the range and showing Paith where articles were.

'Yes, ma'am."

Very well. We have hinch at 1 Dinmer at half past 6. Mr. Fulton does not come out from the city until fight I expect my son and daughter from school always. Can you go ahead and get hinch without any help?"

es, ma'am," Faith answered sim, ply. She had determined to let ber work speak for itself. She had her father's self possession in such matters. Besides, she found herself la. boring under a pleasant excitement that stimulated her. She knew she would be able to do her best.

Mrs. Fulton looked at her new help again with some sharpness.

"Where did you say you were from! mean before you came to the city?" "My home is in Kansas."

"That is a good ways from Chicage." Mrs. Fulton spoke in some surprise,

"No farther than Chicago is from Kansas," said Faith, again after her fashion looking straight at Mrs. Ful-

The woman of the bouse seemed amused this time. She seemed also to be on the point of asking more questions, but finally went out of the kitchen, leaving Fuith in possession there.

As Mrs. Fulton sat down in the parfor she sighed, but it was evidently a sigh of relief.

"I never did such a thing before to hire a girl on such slender knowledge. But she looked clean and intelligent" she said to herself. "And I am so tired of the bely I have been having, I expect of course to be disappointed in her. I always am. But I'll let ber

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A few days after Wilson's departure Faith and ber mother were sitting together in the "common room," as Faith called it the room that the family used for dining and sitting room toon the boys suits.

It was about 11 o clock in the morning, and Maleom Kirk was up stairs in his study. The boys were at school, and Faith, who had finished the high school, had been staying at home for two years belping her mother.

"Mother, how does Gilbert manage astonishment.

Dorothy could not help smiling, although the next instant she sighed a little &

"He said one of the boys pushed him against a wire fence last Saturday while they were out fishing near The

"Well, the boy that did it ought to be made to wear it after I have mended don't seem to be enough in such cases." It. That would be 'making the punish-

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Matron ran along the platform and handed up an envelope to Faith.

father the way they do. They know he would take everything he has and give it away if we didn't prevent him, gether. Dorothy was sewing, and and they just impose on his great Paith was helping her with some work hearted generosity. And you and the boys have to suffer for it."

"Hush, Faith! Your father does what seems to him the wise and Christian thing to do. It is true that everybody in the county comes to him for help. But that is what makes his work what it is. There is no one else they think of that way." Dorothy to tear his coat across the back like spoke with the pride of 25 years' comthat?" asked Faith, holding up that panionship with the man of her choice. garment and looking at it with grave. She loved him now with deeper, truet devotion than she had ever known in her younger days.

Eaith was silent a moment. "But how can father afford to give money to people? I don't think he ought to.' Dorothy did not answer at once.

"If people need the help of money more than anything else, how else shall we help them? Sympathy and prayers

"I think father might make Mr. Barnes a present of a box of soap,' said Faith. "I am sure he needs that as much as the \$5 he has come to beg

"They are very poor," sighed Dor-

†So are we," replied Faith. "Or we shall be if we always give to everybody." Dorothy did not answer this, and

on in silence. She was evidently planning something serious in her mind. It was not the first time she had ventured to remonstrate about the habit her father had of helping all sorts of people. Until a few years past Dorothy had not allowed a thought of the matter to disturb her. Malcom's salary was very small still. The most rigid economy was necessary to keep the family expenses within the income. The annual income from his writings now amounted to about \$500, but a large part of it was given away, and Dorothy faced increasing difficulty each year in managing the household биапсев.

The study door opened, and Malcom and his vistor came down stairs.

"I am going out for a little while, Dorothy. Mrs. Barnes is very sick, and I am going over there. Don't wait dinner for me if I'm not back before half past 12."

He kissed his wife and went out. Faith and her mother watched the tall. bravy figure go out of the yard, with the unattractive Barnes shambling after him. Malcom was growing gray, but he was weet and vigorous, in his the crowd went and came. Drime, and to these two women watch

check for \$25 dropped out. "This is a good companion," my

dear. You will find it good company on the road. Your tather." This was written hastily in a note with the check. Faith understood it was the price of a story Mailcom had written that fall. She tucked the check into her purse and cried liarder than ever-

But when she found herself in Chicago next morning, she set herself resolutely and with courage toward her

The work in the studio was extremely interesting to her. Her letters to the people at home were very entertaining and even funny. But after she had been in the city a few months she was obliged to face a serious condition. one that she had not anticipated.

In the first place, it cost her nearly every cent of the \$8 a week to live. But economize as she would after counting out rent and fuel and light, with what her clothes and car fare cost, with everything that must enter into the account of daily existence, she had very little left when Sunday dame.

One day she realized, with a shock, that she had been obliged to draw on the \$25 check. She had used all the money her father had been able to spare. The work in the studio had for several weeks been piecework, and it happened that business was dull, and several weeks she had been able to earn less than \$5.

Then came a crisis that she had not counted on. The studio changed hands, and the new proprietor began to cut down expenses and dismiss some of the retouchers. Faith was one of the latest arrivals, and one evening as she came down to the office from the little workshop under the roof she was notified that her services would not be wanted after the next week.

She went out of the studio, and instead of taking the car as she usually Faith picked up the coat and worked was obliged to do on account of the distance to her room she walked on until she was at the corner of Madison and State streets.

She plunged through that boiling crowd of humanity and started to walk up State street the four miles that yet lay between her and her room. And as she walked on she was deeply thinking of what she would do. The idea of writing home for money was so distasteful that she could not bear to entertain it. Her lips closed firmly, and she said to herself: "I never will do it while I can live. I have made a failure out of it so far here. but I can't burden father and mother right now. I know how matters are going at home with all the expense there and Hermon's Illness last month. No, no! I started out to be a breadwinner. I must earn my own living."

She was suddenly brought to a stop by a crowd that filled up the sidewalk in front of a large window. There was a picture on exhibition there, and Faith, after running into one or two people, seeing what was the object of attraction, stopped berself and gradually was pushed up to the window as

. It was an oil painting with life sta-

ing what they said! "It seems too bad to take the picture

out of the window." "We can leave it there another

"When do you start west?"

"The last of next month."

"Better leave it here till then." "I think so too. But what a force it

ns, Malcom." Faith started at the familiar name

and looked up.

The man who spoke was a middle aged, gray bearded gentleman, and the man whom he called "Malcom" was perhaps 25 years old, a stalwart, fine looking fellow, with something in his face that made Faith puzzle over something foreign there. For an instant their eyes met. Then Faith blushed and moved back out of the crowd and went on. She did not look back, but she seemed to feel that the two gentlemen were looking after her.

"They are the persons who have bought the picture and will take it away," she said as she walked along. She was sad at the thought, for she had come to cherish the look at the father's face which she had enjoyed every day since she first saw it there.

During the next few weeks Faith had an experience that tried her as she had never been tried.

She visited scores of photographers sludios to get piece,work. In some of them she would find waiting a dozen girls all on the same errand. She prov-



"Why, that's father! ed the value of her work on several ocdasions, for she had learned to do the detouching in a superior manner, and still, work as hard as she would, the orders she could get did not equal her expenses which she had reduced to the lowest bossible figures.

She came back to her room

been at work as a retoucher in Keffen's studio, and here are some references from that place.

Faith handed them out, and the woman took them and carefully rend them. While she was reading Paith looked about, shyly but observantly. She liked the appearance of the house

"Have you ever worked out in the city?" asked the woman suddenly as she finished the references.

"No, ma'am. I came here to work in the studio and lost my position there owing to a reduction of hands."

"Can you cook?" "Yes, malam," replied Paith mod-

"And do the housework for a family of four? There are my husband and my son and daughter."

"I think I can do it. I am sure I can, I am strong and well." Faith spoke with some pride, for whether she had her mother's beauty or not she bad inherited her parents' splendid-phy-

The woman of the house looked at her in some hesitation.

"I don't know you at all," she finally

"No, ma'am, I don't know you, ei-, ther." Faith said it without the least appearance of being impertment, and after the fashion of Malcom Kirk she looked straight in the other's eyes as she spoke.

The women colored at first and then smiled a little.

"It does seem to be about an even thing, doesn't it? Well, the references are good as far as they go. Would you come for a week on trial? I have generally hired my help in that way."

"Yes, ma'am."

"I am willing to pay \$3.50 a week if you can do the cooking, or even \$4 if you can do all the work satisfactorily." "I will come on trial, and if I don't please you you can dismiss me," said Paith, a little engerly. There was something about the woman's manner that seemed to her cold and unnecesthat seemed to ner cond and dunces is saily businesslike; but, on the whole; wines and Liquors are seemed like a desirable place to

"My name is Fulton. Yours is?" "Kirk, Faith Kirk."

"Ah, yes! Well. Faith, I'll show you vone room. Have you a trunk?"

"Yes, ma'am. At my room." Faith gave her the number.

"I'll send an expressman after is She went to a telephone in the next room and gave the necessary order. Golden Key Brand always in stock. Faith had packed her trunk so as to have it in readiness.

Mrs. Pulton led l'aith up stairs to . her room, which was a comfortable KEEWATIN, . - ONTARIO, place, and as they stood there she talked about the work expected of the

"I suppose you will want your Thursday afternoon and Sanday after din-

"I suppose so," said Faith, a little

Mrs. Fulton looked at her sharply. "I have always been in the habit of giving my girls that amount of time. Of course you don't have to take it if you don't want to."

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Mether of Mishin or Month of Rose.

What is her pathway? None must tell,
But is climbs to heaven, and it dips to bell,

The garment on her is mist and fire, Arecit and sorrow and heart's distre Her dorthead fewel's an amethyst:

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the spring," replied the clerk, "It's se-Rent pow that it is scarring rour tose. days, I think you'll loken to wear these Come in at the end of the week, and if you are still having trouble with them IPI fit van out with !

What do you looker by Tearsing to wear' those evertisses?" asked a man who hardened to be stabiling within terstler other the enstoner had walked out. "Is it a will fithat bas to be go-

"Cortainly it lik," regited the clerk. "Wearing everylasses, is something that has to be learned, just like riding a ticomparison la pretty share for the nose has with it " continued the nd isn't Worth taking litto core continue in mosal liber than prowled a proceed cruiser helpfullant stay there at first atjughired the hunck of alane to butches they would be tanger off every thinge he disviousent, no nightfor mastered harbever

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OUR COMPLEX BRAIN

HOW NERVE MESSAGES ARE CON-VEYED TO AND FROM IT

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The science of medicine is year after rear becoming more and more perfect. Its diagnoses are more reliable, and its method of treatment is more rational.

Although the brain is the chief part of the animal man, yet there are many things about the brain which scientists have not yet fathomed.

But great strides have been made in that knowledge which has only within recent years been discovered and which reveals to us what the cranium really contains. Shelving what has gone before and what has been taught as medical law, the following interesting data on how the brain works are now what is accepted at the present time as the forrect theory!

The corebram-front and top-is the thirf part of the brain and the immediate source of all our mental action. The gray matter of the outer surface is made up of layers of nerve cells. These are the thinking centers. Experiments dave clearly demonstrated that each convolution has a special function, and if destroyed it cannot be replaced.

It has also been found that the left side of the brain is more a tive than the right.

How has that been found,out? Well, if an epileptic commences a fit by twitching the right thumb or hand one would find its cause in its nerve center on the left side of the brain. It is only within the past few years that medical men are now able to make a man of the surface of the brain according to the various functions performed.

All impressions received from the I outer world, whether through the medivinual sight, smell, hearing, taste or touch, are carried direct to the surface of the brain and recorded in the brain cells of their respective areas, while all movements are the result of kapulses from the cells in the different motor areas

Now, there are five large sensors more bold are shape fears of surers in the make up of the brain. 'First, sight, which is the largest; at the back of the brain. Smell, taste and hearing have their nestt his at the side sale through soleging a pair of glass of the head the the component Generales. region and luner surface. Touch bas its domicile at the top of the b ...tr. while the large motor (giving metion) area takes up the bulk of the middle

rature that the motor cells of the live i downed up the spring are in front, then those of the hand, armand so on to the foot. To give ther bounded freeple you an example how the sensory and motor nerves work: If you fouched unything hot or sharp, the impression the grisses rest would be conveyed to the sensory area the ness as lightly as along the herves connected with it The sensory will which received the gun askighted sang fall down message would inspediately communiis of shirs and or thep with cate with the mot a cells to pull your !

THE HEAD OF MOSES.

WHY THE LEADER OF ISRAEL IS REP! RESENTED WITH HORNS.

The Error Which Gave Root to the Curious Idea That Is Perpetuated by Paintings, Coins and Statues. Michael Angelo's Masterplece

In one of the schools of the District Is a copy of Michael Angelo's "Moses." That small statuette was a storm center for weeks, the pupils and teachers vying with each other in an attempt to find on answer to the question of one of the small pupils who gravely queried the why of the incipient horns which ornamented the head of the A Chatham Mother Tells how Her raccoldender of the Israelites as he is represented in this masterpiece of MIchael Angelo's, a musterpiece, by the way, which started out to be a Jove or some other fiction of the brain, but which the great sculptor finally shaped into the likeness of Pope Julius and christened "Moser.

For 40 years, just as long as Moses and his people wandered in the wilderness, this statue stood in the work. shop of its gifted creator before the world saw it, but it Types today the universal conception of the great lawgiver, horns and all.

It has been known for centuries, though, that the translation of Habakkuk, which says, "And his brightness was as light; he had horns-coming out of his head," is incorrect and the mistake of the "intelligent compositor." who in his illuminated text got mixed up on his "a's" and "e's" and made "daran" head "deren," as nearly as Hebrew can be made into cold English. The former means "rays:" the

the "his face was horned." Thus it who likes to know the why of things.

Just why artists and sculptors keep on perpetuating this idea is one of the he rutable things of life. But more the servicedy else perhaps artists cling to took on, and since the great mas ters ; we Moses horns it must be the Office hours 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. polyer thing to do, and that is probaby you he were borns in modern as: well as pediesal a t

In the Congress and library, on the is a glauntic bronze Moses by Nichaus. and he has borns that look not unlike per's big bend used to wear! In the Boston library John Sargeant, The great painter for a centerplece to a procession of the prophets painted Like a Texas steer and infolding him is a queer conventional kind of drapery that backs like eartes' wir a

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latter means "horns," and there you St. Jerome in rendering "his face shone" in the passage in Exodus gave it its primitive meaning and mistranslation and has sent down to us through " ages "faciem esse cornatum," be-

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In repeating poetry, for instance, it is the sound of the last line which suggests the next time, but an object presents itself to the brain centers: concerned immediately. You know an number or an orange when you see it because you are aided in distinguishing as to etasts the boy away. One at hy a set of centers which are not only more numerous, but quicker in at reagle to his pleasure' At 'perception. Though poetry is revived caugin the fittie for closing cause, in the sight and sound centers, it is arguid, and the old man bet about enoteso well fixed there as in the other case, beenase it calls up fewer cea-

An apple, for instance, is stamped twice in the optic lenter, once as a green fruit and once as the printed word. There is an ordic word center and a pictorial or obstagranting center. The poem is only stamped in the forturse it is not an object deturibily represented.

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Nicolas Poussia painted some 20 pictures of Moses from a pudgy little baby in the bulrush basket to Moses "on gray Bethpeor's height," some of them with horns and some of them without. Five of these pictures are of the baby in the water and just out of it, and the torads are as varied as those of Columtas on the exposition postage stamps. Some of them look like advertisements for hair restoratives and others as though wigs would enhance the appearance of the buildheaded babies whose painted faces look as many years old is the baby Moses had lived minutes when found by Thermutis Office near Ottawa House, Matheson Another by this author has horns that extend out from the sides of the head like the ears of a mule and represents Moses as striking the rock in the wilderness. This is a very funny picture. anyway, for the camels have heads like horses, and the horses look like aljost anything that stands on four legs veenting horses. -

This curious idea of a horned Moses as not only been perpetuated by aintings, coins and statues, but has aland muster w Caramy writers of e, lentifies Moses with the horn-

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Local Interest

Wm. Phair will carry the mails between Fort Frances and Mine Centre and A. Lunu will carry the mails from Ford Frances to Beaver Mills.

D. A. Bender, hon, treas, of the Hospitabhas received a cheque for \$100 from the Ladies Hospital Ald Asige

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Standard Mining Co. has been formed to work G340 in the Maniton. The directorate of the company is composed of Morris, Minn, gentlemen.

Work at the Zenith zinc mine isprogressing favorably and a berge account of ore will be taken out this winfer to the C.P.R. track and shipped to the imelters. As soon as the roads will permit supplies will be sent in formext sping and summer operations .-Chronicle.

The case of Briedenback versus. The Toronto & Western Mining Co., was before Judge Chapple this week.

Mrs. S. Cameron of Brandon, is visit-

Capt. Hooper returned from Fort Francis by way of Winnipeg this week.

Rev. Archedeacon Fortin, of Winnipeg conducted the services at St. Alban's church Sunday last.

Mrs. R. McKay has returned from a visit to Manitoba.

Capt. Lewis arrived this week from Beaver Mills. He returned by the new railroad to Winnipeg.

Jas. D. Sword, of the Jas. Cooper Manufacturing Co. Montreal, has been in town for several days this week in the interests of his firm.

Silas Griffis has returned from Port

H. McKay and Miss Jessie McKay. left for their home in Lucknow, Ont ..

D. Matheson left for his home in Ripley, Ont., last night.

Wm. Lawson left for Owen Sound

T. Davison, of Ignace, is in 'own.

Robt, Armstrong, of Fort William,

Thos. Robinson, of Wabigoon, was in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams, of Calgary, were in town to attend the funeral of Sheriff Carpenter;

Max Heap goes east tonight on a business trip to Buffalo, Toronto and

P.H. Austin went cast Wednesday night on a short trip.

W. Muldrew of Torontowas registered at the Hillard Saturday.

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Work on the new Victoria skating rink is being pushed rapidly, and it is expected the opening will take place the latter post of next week. The building will be well fitted out, and is much larger and in every way better than the straicture recently burned.

Thos. Larkins is moving his barber shop across the street in one of Mr. Carmichael sistores next to W.A. Eerruson's jewelry shop. He will be ready for business on Monday morn ing. First class work: guaranteed in all respects. Shave, 10c; Haircut, 15c. All prices equally low. He will shave for 5c if it is, necessary. Cash pay ment demanded.

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